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# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Tuesday June 9. 1702.

*Prayers said,*

**T**HE Duke of *Hamilton* immediatly thereafter craved to be heard, and tho desired by the Lord Chancellor to sit till Her Majestie's Commission was read, and the House constitute, yet persisted, and said, that for eviting of Conteſts, he had a Paper to read, which Paper he read, as containing the Reasons of his withdrawing, and thereupon, and upon his withdrawing took Instruments, but without giving in his Paper.

Thereafter the Clerk Register, and ſeveral of the Members declared that they adhered to the Duke of *Hamilton's* Paper, and also took Instruments, and withdrew.

The Queen's Commission to *James* Duke of *Queensberrie* to be her Majestie's high Commissioner to this Session of Parliament, read.

Rolls called.

The Earl of *Mar* protested for the Precedencie of all the Earls ranked before him in the Rolls of Parliament.

The Earl of *Mortoun* protested for the precedencie of all the Earls ranked before him in the Rolls of Parliament.

The Earl of *Finlator* protested against calling the Earl of *Airly* before him in the Rolls of Parliament.

The Earl of *Leven* protested against the calling of the Earl of *Callender* before him in the Rolls of Parliament.

By Order of the Lord High Commissioner, one of the Clerks of Parliament and Session, and Clerk to her Majestie's Processes, in respect of the Clerk Register's withdrawing, tendered the Oath of Alledgeance to the Lord Chancellor, who did swear and sign the same, with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament. And then all the Clerks of Parliament and Session, swore the Oath of Alledgeance, and signed the same, with the Assurance, and gave their Oaths *de fidei administratione*.

The Earl of *Melvil* Lord President of the Privy Council, and the Earl of *Crawford*, and the other Nobility, called up by order of the Roll at different times, took the Oath of Alledgeance, and signed the same, with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament: And in the same manner the Barons and Commissioners for Burghs.

A Letter from her Majesty to my Lord Commissioner, appointing my Lord *Montgomery* to sit and vote in this present Session of Parliament, as Lord high Thesaurer, read; And the Lord *Montgomery* took the Oath of Alledgeance,



ance, and signed the same, with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

A Commission to *William Marquels of Annandale* under the great Seal, to be Lord Privy Seal, read, and ordered to be Recorded, who took the Oath of Alledgeance and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

A Commission to *James Earl of Seafield* under the Great Seal, to be one of the principal Secretaries of state, and a Letter from Her Majesty to my Lord Commissioner, appointing the said Earl to sit and Vote in this Session of Parliament as Lord Secretary, read, and the Commission ordered to be Recorded.

The Patents under the Great Seal, creating *Archibald Earl of Argyle Duke of Argyle*, and *Robert Earl of Lothian, Marquels of Lothian*, and *William Earl of Annandale Marquels of Annandale*, and *James Viscount of Seafield, Earl of Seafield*, and *John Lord Carmichael Earl of Hyndfoord*, were Read, and ordered to be Recorded.

The Duke of *Argyle*, the Marquels of *Lothian*, and the Earls of *Seafield* and *Hyndfoord*, took the Oath of Alledgeance and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

*John Sharp of Hoddam*, Commissioner for the Shire of *Dumfries*, and Master *John Stuart of Sorbie* for the Shire of *Wigtoun*, and now Elected in place of the two former Members deceased, took the Oath of Alledgeance, and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

*John Scrimzeor* Commissioner for the Burgh of *Dundee*, and *Sir Alexander Ogilvie* for the Burgh of *Banff*, in place of the two former Members deceased, took the Oath of Alledgeance and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

Two Commissions, the one to *George Monro of Culrain*, and the other to *David Sutherland of Kinnald*, being presented from the Shire of *Sutherland*, the same were remitted to the Committee, to be appointed for contraver- ted Elections.

The Queen's most gracious Letter to the Parliament, presented by Her Majesties High Commissioner, read;

Then Her Majesties High Commissioner made a Speech to the Parliament.

Thereafter the Lord Chancellor made his Speech to the Parliament.

A Motion being made for Printing Her Majesties Letter, His Grace the Commissioners Speech, and the Lord Chancellors Speech, the same was ordered accordingly.

Moved that an Act be brought in next Sederunt of Parliament, for Recogniz- ing Her Majesties Royal Authority, and Her Majesties Coronation Oath, with the Attestation by several of the Privy Council of Her taking the same, were read.

Ordered, That the Draught of an Act be brought in next Sederunt of Par- liament, for Recognizing Her Majesties Royal Authority.

Moved, That an Act be brought in next Sederunt of Parliament, for Securing the Protestant Religion, and Presbyterian Church-Government, as now Established, which was ordered accordingly.

Moved, That an Act be brought in, Authorizing the Appointment of a Fast, conform to the Desire of the Commission of the General-Assembly, which was ordered accordingly.

Moved, That the Committees be appointed, and agreed that there be four Committees, one for the Security of the Kingdom, consisting of nine of each State; a Second, for contraver- ted Elections, consisting of five of each State, a Third, for drawing an Answer to Her Majesties Letter, consisting of one of each State; and a Fourth of the like Number, for Revising the Mi- nutes.

Ordered, That the Members prepare their Lists for the several Committees to be elected next Sederunt of Parliament.

The Lord Chancellor, by Order of Her Majesties High Commissioner, Ad- journed the Parliament, till Thursday next at ten a Clock,

**B**T Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Ap- points the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties Printer, to Print these minuts of the Pro- ceedings in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same

J. A. DALRYMPLE.

Edinburgh, Printed by the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson, Prin- ter to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty. 1702,





Messrs. J. & W. G. & Co. have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the purchase of a quantity of the same, and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to you by the same conveyance as the other articles mentioned in your letter of the 10th inst. and that the same will be delivered to you as soon as possible.

The Lord Chamberlain, by Order of the Privy Council, has directed that the same should be delivered to you as soon as possible.

**B**y Order of the Privy Council, the Lord Chamberlain, has directed that the same should be delivered to you as soon as possible.

J. A. DALRYMPLE.

Printed by the Printer and Stationer of the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1792.

# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Thursday June 11. 1702.

Prayers said,

Rolls called,

Minuts of the last Sederunt read;

**D**Raughts of the following Acts, viz. Act Recognizing Her Majesties Royal Authority, Act for Adjourning the Session, Act Declaring the present Meeting of Parliament, to be a Lawful and free Meeting of Parliament. Act for securing the true Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Government, and Act for a National Fast, all read for the first time.

Her Majesties most Gracious Letter to the Parliament presented by Her Majesties High Commissioner, in Answer to the Address from the Parliament, in Relation to the Company Trading to *Africa* and the *Indies*, and concerning the Union with the Kingdom of England, Read, and Ordered to be Printed and Recorded, and the drawing of an Answer thereto remitted to the Committee, to be named for drawing an Answer to Her Majesties Letter read the former Sederunt.

Ordered that the several States of Parliament, separat and make Election of the Committees appointed by the last Sederunt; Whereupon the States having separat, returned, and reported their several Elections as follows, Viz.

For the Security of the Kingdom, of the State of the Nobility: The E. of Melvil Lord President of the Privy Council, The Duke of Argyle, The Marquess of Lothian, The Earls of Mar, Lauderdale, Lowdown, Leven and Hyndsoord and Viscount of Stair. Of the State of Barons, Sir Robert Sinclair of Sievinson, Sir John Swintoun of that Ilk, Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan, John Craford of Kilbirny, Sir Colin Campbel of Aheruchil, Adam Drummond of Megginsh, Sir James Elphinstoun of Logie, Duncan Forbes of Cul-loden, & Mr. James Melvil of Halhill. And of the Commissioners for Burghs, John Anderson for Glasgow, Sir Archibald Muir, Sir James Smollet, Sir David Dalrymple, Sir Alexander Ogilvie, Sir John Hamilton, Sir Hugh Dalrymple, Mr. Robert Stuart, and Sir Alexander Home.

For contraverted Elections, Of the state of the Nobility, The Earls of Buchan, Glencairn and Kintore, the Viscount of Tarbat and Lord Forbes: Of the State of Barons, William Morison of Prestoungrange, Robert Pollock of that Ilk, Sir Colin Campbel of Ardkinglas, Sir John Dempster of Pitliver, & Robert Reid of Baldovie. And of the Commissioners for Burghs, John Muir for Air, Sir Andrew Home, Mr. John Murray, Mr. William Johnstoun, and Mr. Robert Forbes.

For



For Drawing an Answer to Her Majesties Letter, The Duke of Argyle,  
Mr. Francis Montgomery of Giffan and Sir Hugh Dalrymple.

For revising the Minuts, The Viscount of Tarbat, Sir Colin Campbell  
of Aberneth and Sir David Dalrymple.

A Motion being made, that a Supplie be granted to Her Majesty for  
maintaining of Forces for security of the Peace of the Kingdom, and it be-  
ing also moved, that effectual Courses be taken for securing the Coasts and  
Trade of the Kingdom; and likewise for securing the Peace of the Highlands:  
And sicklike, it being moved, that that part of Her Majesties Letter concern-  
ing the Union with England, be taken into Consideration.

The said Motions were all remitted to the Committee for Security of the  
Kingdom.

Ordered, That the Committies do meet in their usual places to Morrow  
at Nine a Clock.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner,  
adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

**B**y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry,  
Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates  
of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Ap-  
point the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her  
Majesties Printer, to Print these Minuts of the Proceedings  
in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same.

JO. MACKENZIE.

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ter to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty. 1702.

# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

June 12. 1702.

Prayers said,

Rolls Called,

Minutes of the last Sederunt read,

**A**CT Recognizing Her Majesties Royal Authority, read the second time, and Voted and Approven *nemine contradicente*.

Act adjourning the Session till the first of July next, read the second time, and Voted and Approven.

Act for securing the True Protestant Religion, and Presbyterian Government, read the second time.

Sir Alexander Bruce Commissioner for the Burgh of Sanquhar, having said upon the reading this Act, that the Act of Parliament establishing presbyterian Government, did contain things inconsistent with the essence of the Monarchy; he was thereupon called to the Bar, and not giving Satisfaction, he was ordered to withdraw; and the question being put, expel him out of the parliament or not, it carried in the affirmative *nemine contradicente*, and a Warrant was ordered to the Burgh of Sanquhar, to elect a new Commissioner in his place.

Thereafter the Act being again read, was voted and approved, *nemine contradicente*.

Act declaring the present Meeting of parliament, to be a lawful and free Meeting of parliament, was read the second time, and voted, and approved, *nemine contradicente*.

Upon information that some Advocats had met to draw and sign an Address concerning the Meeting of parliament, or other publick matters, Warrant was granted to Macers to cite the Dean of Faculty and Advocats to appear before the Committee, for Security of the Kingdom, the Morrow at ten a Clock in the Forenoon, and to bring with them the said paper each of them, who hath, or had, or fraudfully have put away the same, as they will be answerable at their highest peril.

The Act for a National Fast the second Thursday of July next, read the second time, and voted and approved.

Then the Above-Acts, *Viz.* Act recognizing Her Majesties Royal authority, Act adjourning the Session, Act for securing the true Protestant Religion, and presbyterian Government, Act declaring the present Meeting of Parliament, to be a lawful and free Meeting of parliament, and Act for a National Fast, were all by Her Majesties high Commissioner touched with the Scepter in the usual manner, and ordered to be published and printed.

The Committees appointed to meet to morrow at ten a clock.

The Lord Chancellor, by order of Her Majesties High Commissioner, adjourned the parliament, till Tuesday next at ten a clock.

**B**y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of parliament and Session, appoints the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties printer, to print these Minutes of the proceedings in parliament, and that no other presume to print the same.

AL. GIBSON.

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# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Tuesday June 16. 1702.

*Prayers said,  
Rolls called,  
Minutes of the last Sederunt read,*

**T**He Report of the Committee for Security of the Kingdom read, *Viz.* It is the Opinion of the Committee for Security of the Kingdom, that a Relolve be made in Parliament to grant sufficient Supplies to Her Majesty for maintaining Forces, repairing Forts and Garrisons, and providing Arms and Ammunition, and guarding the Coasts and Trade, for securing the Peace and Quiet of the Highlands, and generally for Defence and Security of the Kingdom.

Moved that a Committee may be appointed for revising the Accompts of the Money given and laid on by the former Sessions of this Parliament.

Agreed that a Committee be appointed for that end, and that there be three of each State, and that the Members bring in their Lists next Sederunt.

The said Report being again read, was voted and approved.

Report from the Committee of Security, anent the Affair of the Advocats remitted to them, that they had called the Dean of Faculty and whole Advocats, whereof about seventy had declared they gave no Warrant to the Dean of Faculty to subscribe the Paper, called the Address, and twenty of them refused to answer the question, and that the Committee had caused the said Refusers, enact themselves to appear before the Parliament this Day, and ordered Her Majesties Advocat to prepare and exhibit a Charge against them.

Her Majesties Advocat exhibited the said Charge, which being read, the said Advocats that had enacted themselves, were called and the Charge read to them.

The Dean of Faculty for himself, and in name of the others called, craved a competent time to answer the Libel, it being complex.

Her Majesties Advocat declared, that the Defenders should have a Copy of the Libel and Instructions thereof, with a List of the Witnesses, and craved that a Copy given to the Dean of Faculty, should be sufficient for him and the rest.

To which the Defenders agreed.

But



But thereafter, Her Majesties Advocat declared he would give a Copy to each of them, but that the Documents should be put in the Dean of Faculties Hands, to serve for him and the rest, which was agreed to, and ordered to be marked.

Ordered, that the Defenders give in their Answers to the Charge on *Tuesday* next, with continuation.

Ordered, that the Committee for drawing the Answers to Her Majesties Letters, do meet to *Morrow Morning*, and prepare Draughts for the Parliament.

The other Committees appointed to meet to *Morrow* at ten a Clock.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Thursday* next at Ten a Clock.

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JA. JUSTICE

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# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Thursday June 18. 1702.

*Prayers said,*

*Rolls Called,*

*Minuts of the last Sederunt read,*

**W**arrant craved by and granted to Her Majesties Advocat, for Citeing Witneses in the Charge at his instance, against the Dean of Faculty and Advocats refusing to Answer, and Sisted before the Parliament.

Report from the Committee of Security of the Kingdom, *viz.* It is the unanimous Opinion of the said Committee, that a Supply be granted to Her Majesty for seven Moneths Cess in one year, for maintaining of Forces, repairing Forts and Garrisons, and providing Arms and Ammunition, and maintaining of Frigots for guarding the Trade and Coasts: And likewise it is their unanimous Opinion, that the said Cess shall be continued to Her Majesty for the ends foresaid, for an year and a half, making up in all ten Moneths, and a half Cess payable in the said year and a half, beginning the first terms payment at the term of *Candlemass* one Thousand seven Hundred and three years, Read:

Thereafter the Draught of an Act upon the same Subject, brought in from the said Committee, and read the first time.

A Draught of a Letter from the Parliament to Her Majesty, brought in from the Committee, read, and being again read by paragraphs, was Voted and approved.

Ordered, that the several Estates of Parliament separate, and make Election of the Committee for Revising the Accompts of Money laid on by the former Sessions of this Parliament, as was appointed by the last Sederunt, whereupon the Estates having separate themselves, returned and Reported their several Elections, as follows, *viz.* Of the State of the Nobility, the Earls of Galloway, & Northesk, and Lord Boyle; of the State of Barrons, Sir Robert Sinclair of Stevenson, John Crawford of Kilbirnie, and Duncan Forbes of Culloden; and of the Commissioners for Burghs, Sir James Smollet, Sir John Hamilton, and Mr. William Johnston.

The Committees appointed to meet to Morrow at Ten a Clock.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner, Adjourned the Parliament till to Morrow at Eleven a Clock.

**B**y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of parliament and Session, appoint the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties printer, to print these Minuts of the proceedings in parliament, and that no other presume to print the same.

Ro. ALEXANDER.

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# MEMORANDUM Of the Proceedings in Parliament

Presented to the House of Commons by Command of the House, in the Year 1754.  
By William Pitt, Esq. Secretary to the Treasury.

Report of the Committee of the House of Commons, appointed to enquire into the State of the Affairs of the East India Company, and to report the same to the House, in the Year 1754.

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Printed by W. Johnston, at the Signet Office, in the Year 1754.

# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Friday June 19. 1702.

*Prayers said,*

*Rolls called,*

*Minuts of the last Sederunt read.*

**A**CT anent the Supply read a second time, and after some Debate, the Vote being stated, approve the Act as brought in from the Committee, or not, carried in the affirmative.

*Ordered* that at the next Sederunt of Parliament, the Members concerned bring in Lists of such Commissioners of Supply as they desire to be added to the Number.

Draught of an Act for an Union betwixt the Kingdoms of Scotland and England brought in from the Committee for Security, read a first time, and ordered to ly on the Table.

Recommended to Her Majesties high Commissioner, the transmitting of the Parliaments answer to Her Majesty.

Petition by James Earl of Morton, anent his Right to the Isles of Orkney and Zetland read, and a Draught of a Deliverance recommending the Earl's case to Her Majesty, read voted and approved.

*Ordered* that the Recommendation now made, with the Recommendation from the Parliament 1693, be presented to Her Majesty by the Secretaries of State.

Act anent the Supply of Ten Months and a halfs Cess upon the Land-rent touched by Her Majesties high Commissioner with the Scepter in the usual manner.

The Committees appointed to meet on Munday at Ten a Clock.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner, adjourned the Parliament till Tuesday next at Ten a Clock.

**B***y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Appoint the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties Printer, to Print these minuts of the Proceedings in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same.*

JA. HAMILTON.

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# REPORT

## OF THE

### COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, PASSED IN 1889, RELATIVE TO THE LANDS BELONGING TO THE CROWN, AND TO THE LANDS BELONGING TO THE SEVERAL STATES AND TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES.

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IN WASHINGTON, D. C., JANUARY 1, 1890.

J. HAMMILLTON.

# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Tuesday June 23. 1702.

*Prayers said,  
Rolls called.*

*Minutes of the last Sederunt read.*

**W**illiam Alves Commissioner for the Burgh of *Sanguhar* Elected by Warrant of Parliament in place of Sir *Alexander Bruce*, took the Oath of Alledgeance, and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

A Letter from Her Majesty to the Parliament Read and ordered to be Printed.

A Representation of the Heretors and others upon the Coast of *Lochryan*, for securing the said Coast against *Privatiers*, Read, and Remitted to the Privy Council to do in the matter represented what they shall judge necessary for the end foresaid.

According to the Order of the former Sederunt of Parliament, Lists were brought in of such Commissioners of Supply as were desired to be added to the Number; and being Read in Parliament, were approved, and leave given to bring in more Lists next Sederunt of Parliament.

Draught of an Act anent the Highland Justiciary brought in from the Committee of Security, Read a first time.

Draught of an Act concerning the Union betwixt the Kingdoms of *Scotland* and *England*, Read a second time, and ordered to ly on the Table till the next Sederunt of Parliament.

The Dean of Faculty and Advocats appointed to appear and answer this day, were called, and they appearing, and Her Majesties Advocats Charge against them Read, They moved they might have Advocats to assist, whereupon they were allowed Seven to assist them in their Defence; And in their Defence having proponed peremptor Defences and then recurring to Dilators, and a Debate arising if this should be allowed, it was agreed that the Defenders be heard both upon their Dilator and Peremptor Defences, and that the Advocat make answer to both before the Parliament give their Judgment in the case: Then both dilator and peremptor Defences were Read, and after a long hearing on both sides, the Defenders removed, and the Question was put, Sustain the Dilators or Repel them, and carried Repel.

There.



Thereafter the Question was put, if the Voting that the Dean of Faculty should sign in Name of the Faculty in a matter Extrinsic to their Ordinary Administration, and his signing accordingly, be relevant to infer an Arbitrary punishment or not, and carried in the affirmative.

The further insisting in the Charge continued till the next Sederunt of Parliament.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties High Commissioner, Adjourned the Parliament till *Thursday* next at Ten a Clock.

**B**R Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Appoint the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties Printer, to print these Minuts of the Proceedings in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same.

JA. DALRYMPLE.

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# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Thursday June 25. 1702.

Prayers said,

Rolls called,

Minuts of the last Sederunt read.

**A**rchibald Dowglas of *Cavers*, one of the Commissioners for the Shire of *Roxburgh*, being absent the former Sederunts of Parliament, took the Oath of Alledgeance, and Signed the same with the Assurance and took the Oath of Parliament.

More Lists of Commissioners for Supply read in Parliament and approved.

Ordered, that in Printing the Act for the Supply, the Quotas of *Inverness* and *Nairn*, be rectified conform to the Tenor of an Act of Parliament 1690, now produced, which is the Rule of their Payment, and whereby it is appointed that twenty six pound *Scots* be deduced from the Quota, of Cels payed Monethly by the Shire of *Nairn*, and be added to the Quota of Cels, payed Monthly by the Shire of *Inverness*.

Draught of the Act concerning the Union betwixt the two Kingdoms of *Scotland* and *England*, as also the Draught of a Letter from the Parliament to Her Majestie, expressing their confidence, that in the Treaty of the said Union, Her Majestie will have a gracious regard to the maintaining of the Presbyterian Government in this Church: Were both read, and the question being put, approve the Act and Letter foresaid or not, carried in the Affirmative.

Before calling of the Rolls upon the said Vote, *Walter Stuart* Commissioner for the Burgh of *Linlithgow*, declared that he did dissent from the said Vote, in respect that by no Clause in the Draught of this Act, the Commissioners to be named were limited or hindered from treating about the reintroduction of *Prelacy*, albeit the same be abolished by the *Claim of Right*, and craved the same might be Recorded, & thereupon took Instruments; and *George Moncrieff* of *Reedy* one of the Commissioners for the Shire of *Fife* adhered to the Dissent.

The Act for the Justiciary in the Highlands, read a second time, and voted and approved.

The Act enabling Her Majesty to appoint Commissioners, for an Union betwixt the two Kingdoms of *Scotland* and *England*: As also the Act for the Justiciary in the Highlands, were touched with the Scepter by Her Majesties high Commissioner in the usual manner.

The further insisting in the Charge at Her Majesties Advocats Instance against the Dean of Faculty and certain Advocats, continued till the next Sederunt of Parliament.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties High Commissioner, adjourned the Parliament, till *Saturday* next at ten a Clock.

**B**y Order of his Grace *James Duke of Queensberry*, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of parliament and Session, appoint the Heirs and Successors of *Andrew Anderson* Her Majesties printer, to print these Minuts of the proceedings in parliament, and that no other presume to print the same.

JO. MACKENZIE.

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# OF THE PROCEEDINGS IN THE

SENATE

IN SENATE, FEBRUARY 1, 1871.

REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 1, 1871.

ALBANY:

JOHN B. LEECH, PRINTING OFFICE, 1871.

ALBANY:

# MINUTS

## Of the Proceedings in Parliament.

Saturday June 27. 1702.

Prayers said,

Rolls Called,

Minuts of the last Sederunt read,

**M**Oved, that when the Act concerning the *Union* shall be Printed, the Letter from the Parliament to Her Majesty relative thereto, be also Printed ; which was ordered accordingly.

Some more Commissioners of Supply were added, and being read ; were approved.

Draught of an Act for Abjuring the pretended Prince of *Scotland*, commonly called, *the pretended Prince of Wales*, and now taking upon him the Title of King of *Scotland*, read ; And moved that a first Reading be marked thereupon.

Moved, that the Act being of great Importance, might ly on the Table till the Members had further Consideration thereof : And after much Debate, which of the Motions should be received, and how the Vote should be stated ; Agreed, that the state of the Vote should be, Mark a first reading upon the Act, or ly on the Table ; and carried mark a first reading.

The Charge at Her Majesties Advocats instance against the Dean of Faculty, and certain Advocats, continued till the next Sederunt of Parliament.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner, adjourned the Parliament till *Tuesday* next at Ten a Clock.

**B**Y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry, Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Appoint the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties Printer, to Print these minuts of the Proceedings in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same.

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## Of the Proceedings in Parliament,

Tuesday June 30. 1702.

*Prayers said,  
Rolls called.*

**J**ames Brodie of that Ilk, one of the Commissioners for the Shire of Elgine, being absent the former Sederunts of Parliament, took the Oath of Allegiance, and signed the same with the Assurance, and took the Oath of Parliament.

*Minuts of the last Sederunt read,*

The Dean of Faculty and the Advocats convened with him being called, & the Interloquitor in the Cause of the twenty third Instant read to them, they were ordered to withdraw, and it being moved and debated; whether to proceed further against them before the Parliament, or, to remit their Case to some of the Judicatories.

Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, ordered the Process as it stands to be remitted to the Privy Council, to be further proceeded in before their Lordships as they should see cause.

Thereafter Her Majesties high Commissioner made the following Speech.

*My Lords and Gentlemen,*

**T**He Chearfulness and Unanimity of your Proceedings in this Session of Parliament, in recognizing Her Majesties Royal Authority, securing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Government, and expeding the other Acts that have been past for Her Majesties Service, and the Good and Safety of the Kingdom; will, I am perswaded be very acceptable to Her Majesty, and satisfying to all Her good Subjects, and I do assure you is very obliging to me.

But I must regrave, that when I was expecting we should have parted in the same happy manner, a Proposal which I had some ground to think was laid aside, was offered the other day to my surprize as well as that of Her Majesties other Ministers, which occasioned some Debate and Difference in the House, my early Ingaging, and firm Adherence to the present Establishment, is so well known, that none can doubt my readiness to enter into all Measures for Her Majesties Service, and securing our happy Settlement according to the *Claim of Right*, and I am confident that you are all of that Mind.

Since then we are all perfectly the same, as to our dutiful and faithful Adherence to Her Majesty, and that the *Claim of Right* is our unalterable Security; I judge it fit for Her Majesties Service, and your own Interest, to pre-



vent further Contest and Debate amongst persons, I know to be so intirely well affected to Her Majesty, and for whom I have all imaginable Honour, to dismiss this Session of Parliament.

We have had no particular Acts or Ratifications, that do require an Act *Salvo*, and I do render you hearty Thanks in Her Majesties Name, for the Loyalty you have testified by your publick Acts, and which I shall be careful to Report to Her Majesty, and shall only recommend to you, to let the Countrey know, the gracious Assurances Her Majesty has been pleased to give us, and to dispose them to their Duty, and to comply with Her Majesties Royal Intentions for their own Welfare and Happiness: And thus I do in Her Majesties Name, and by Her Authority Adjourn this Parliament till *Tuesday* the eighteenth day of *August* next, which my Lord Chancellor is to declare in the usual Form.

The Lord Chancellor by Order of Her Majesties high Commissioner, Adjourned the Parliament to meet at *Edinburgh* upon *Tuesday* the Eighteenth day of *August* next, and declared the same to be Adjourned.

**B**y Order of his Grace James Duke of Queensberry Her Majesties high Commissioner, and the Estates of Parliament, the Clerks of Parliament and Session Appoint the Heirs and Successors of Andrew Anderson Her Majesties Printer, to Print these minuts of the Proceedings in Parliament, and that no other presume to Print the same.

JA. JUSTICE.

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